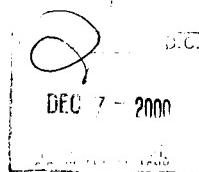


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

Case No. 00-6340 JR-HURLEY
18 U.S.C. §1542

MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)
Plaintiff,)
v.)
SALOMON RAMIREZ ESCALANTE)
a/k/a "Salomon Ramirez",)
a/k/a "Alexis Manuel Medero-Melendez",)
a/k/a "Alexis Manuel Medero",)
Defendant.)



INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury charges that:

On or about December 30, 1999, at Broward County, in the Southern District of Florida, the defendant,

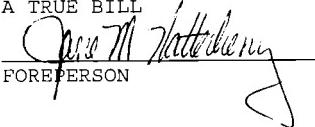
SALOMON RAMIREZ ESCALANTE,
a/k/a "Salomon Ramirez",
a/k/a "Alexis Manuel Medero-Melendez",
a/k/a "Alexis Manuel Medero",

willfully and knowingly made a false statement in an application for a passport with intent to induce and secure for his own use, the issuance of a passport under the authority of the United States, contrary to the laws regulating the issuance of such passports and the rules prescribed pursuant to such laws, in that the defendant stated in said application that his true name was Alexis Manuel Medero and that he was a United States citizen, which

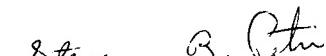
A handwritten signature consisting of stylized initials and a surname.

statement he knew to be false, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1542.

A TRUE BILL



FOREPERSON


Steven R. Petit
GUY A. LEWIS

UNITED STATES ATTORNEY


Scott H. Behnke
ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

CASE NO. _____

v.

CERTIFICATE OF TRIAL ATTORNEY*

SALOMON RAMIREZ ESCALANTE

Superseding Case Information:

Court Division: (Select One)

New Defendant(s)

Yes

No

Miami Key West
 FTL WPB FTP

Total number of counts

Number of New Defendants

I do hereby certify that:

1. I have carefully considered the allegations of the indictment, the number of defendants, the number of probable witnesses and the legal complexities of the Indictment/Information attached hereto.
2. I am aware that the information supplied on this statement will be relied upon by the Judges of this Court in setting their calendars and scheduling criminal trials under the mandate of the Speedy Trial Act, Title 28 U.S.C. Section 3161.

3. Interpreter: (Yes or No) No
 List language and/or dialect _____

4. This case will take 2 days for the parties to try.

5. Please check appropriate category and type of offense listed below:
 (Check only one) (Check only one)

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| I | 0 to 5 days | <input type="checkbox"/> | Petty | _____ |
| II | 6 to 10 days | <input type="checkbox"/> | Minor | _____ |
| III | 11 to 20 days | <input type="checkbox"/> | Misdem. | _____ |
| IV | 21 to 60 days | <input type="checkbox"/> | Felony | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| V | 61 days and over | <input type="checkbox"/> | | |

6. Has this case been previously filed in this District Court? (Yes or No) No

If yes:

Judge: _____ Case No. _____
 (Attach copy of dispositive order)Has a complaint been filed in this matter? (Yes or No) Yes

If yes:

Magistrate Case No. 00-4264-SNOW

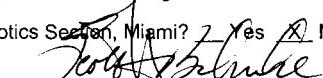
Related Miscellaneous numbers: _____

Defendant(s) in federal custody as of _____

Defendant(s) in state custody as of _____

Rule 20 from the _____ District of _____

Is this a potential death penalty case? (Yes or No) No7. Does this case originate from a matter pending in the U. S. Attorney's Office prior to April 1, 1999?
 Yes No If yes, was it pending in the Central Region? Yes No8. Did this case originate in the Narcotics Section, Miami? Yes No


 SCOTT H. BENINKE
 ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY
 Attorney No. A5500005

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

PENALTY SHEET

Defendant's Name: SALOMON RAMIREZ ESCALANTE No.: _____

Count #: 1

Making a false statement in an application for a passport in violation of 18 USC § 1542.

*Max Penalty: A term of imprisonment of not more than 10 years' or a fine up to \$250,000, or both

Count #: 2

Max Penalty: _____

Count #: 3

*Max Penalty: _____

Count #: 4

*Max Penalty: _____

Count #: 5

*Max Penalty: _____

Count #: 6

*Max Penalty: _____

*Refers only to possible term of incarceration, does not include possible fines, restitution,
special assessments, parole terms or forfeitures that may be applicable.